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AMENDMENT A

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2002.
Please amend the above identified application as follows:

In the Title:

Change the title of the referenced patent application to:

A Curved Ultrasonic End Effector

In the Specification:

Response A

s/n 09/909,557